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This directory targets users in Asia and the Pacific who seek further study or research opportunities in which English is the medium of learning. Information gathered form various sources is compiled in three parts: (1) a brief account of fellowships offered or administered by the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization; (2) information on scholarships, fellowships, or grants awarded by international and bilateral donors and institutions to qualified nationals of countries in Asia and the Pacific; and (3) a list of selected Web sites that offer useful tips on studying abroad. (SLD)

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INTRODUCTION

Over the years, the UNESCO Principal Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (PROAP) has received numerous requests from students and researchers for financial assistance for further studies, training and research. Many were advised to consult UNESCO's priced publication ***Study Abroad*** which is published in three languages and revised every two years. Whenever possible, more specific information as to where to look for the type of support they needed was also given.

Realizing that ***Study Abroad*** may not be easily obtained by those who need it the most as it is a priced publication, PROAP decided to publish a more focused directory catered to the users in Asia and the Pacific who seek further study or research opportunities where English is the medium of learning. This directory is modeled after the comprehensive ***Study Abroad***.

The information in this directory of scholarships and fellowships is gathered from various printed and electronic sources and compiled in three parts:

Part One contains a brief account on fellowships offered or administered by UNESCO.

Part Two compiles information on scholarships, fellowships or grants awarded by international and bilateral donors and institutions to qualified nationals of countries in Asia and the Pacific. Where possible, the scholarships/grants are indicated whether they are offered to only government nominated candidates.

Contact addresses of sponsors are provided to the extent possible so that users may request further and more up-to-date information directly. For those with the Internet access, URLs of some sponsors are also provided. As far as the technology and time permitted, most URLs herein have been verified as correct.

Part Three takes into account the increasingly expansive Internet and lists a selected number of URLs along with brief description. These are Web sites that offer useful tips regarding studying abroad,

such as how to find the right courses and the right institution, how to apply for admission, where to look for financial aid, etc. Some of the sites have links to colleges and universities.

A summary of scholarships and grants included in this directory should make it easier for users to locate information . Since the purpose of this directory is to be concise rather than comprehensive, it should be used as a first tool or a guide in a long search for sponsorship. Hence, the information for further contact with the prospective sponsors.

Governments and universities offer a number of scholarships and grants on competitive basis. For government scholarships, it is advisable for students and researchers to contact the nearest diplomatic mission of the country of their interest. Normally, government scholarships must be obtained prior to the recipients's departure for the country of study.

On the contrary, students and researchers become eligible to apply for university scholarships or grants only after a prescribed period of enrolment at the university. In most cases, this means that even the best students need to have sufficient fund for their first year of study abroad. ***Study Abroad*** does provide general information on scholarships and grants offered by universities. Contact addresses therein are helpful tool for further search. In addition, relevant information can be obtained from other publications on scholarships as well as university brochures

This directory is published and disseminated as a service to UNESCO Member States and can be made available, free of charge, to individuals upon request. Despite the best intention, the directory may contain some inaccurate information. Revision at regular interval is in the plan. Meanwhile, It will be most helpful if users of this directory would kindly notify us any errors herein.

Also, we welcome your contribution of additional or new information on scholarships and grants for national of Asia and the Pacific for inclusion in the next revision of this directory.

To all users of this directory, we wish you every success in your further study or research.

UNESCO PROAP
Bangkok, 2000

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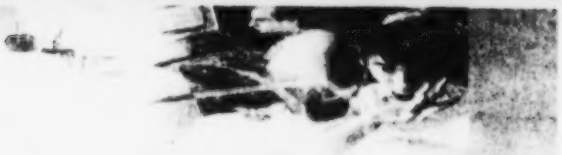

SUMMARY OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

Field of study	Country of study	Type or value of scholarship/grant	Part/Page
Advanced technologies	AIT, Thailand	Master's degree and doctoral fellowship	2/2
Aerospace	Any country	US$6,000	2/45
Astronomy	Any country	Travel grant	2/22
Atomic energy application	Any country	One-year fellowship	2/23
Banking	UK	One-year fellowship	2/8
Biology	Applicant's country	Research grant	1/1
Business	-	US$4,000	2/45
Civil engineering	AIT, Thailand	Master's degree and doctoral fellowship	2/2
Climatology	Any country	Short- and long-term fellowship	2/44
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Communication	UNESCO Member States, USA and Singapore	Short-term fellowship or research grant	1/2
	Chosen countries	Study grant	1/3
	Donor countries	Short course	1/4
Communication and telecommunication	Any country	Training fellowship	2/31
Community health	Commonwealth countries	Short-term attachment	2/4
Comparative Law	Luxembourg International University Institute	Two-week scholarship	2/33
Conflict/ issue resolution	USA	Depending on programme	2/17
Creative writing	UNESCO Member States	Short-term fellowships	1/5

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Field of study	Country of study	Type or value of scholarship/grant	Part/Page
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	Chosen countries	Study grant	1/3
	Donor countries	Short-term fellowship	1/4
Dance	UNESCO Member States	Short-term fellowship	1/5
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	Chosen countries	Study grant	1/3
	Donor countries	Short-term fellowship	1/4
Environment	Applicant's country	Research grant	1/1
	AIT, Thailand	Master's degree and doctoral fellowship	2/2
	USA	Master's degree or doctoral fellowship	2/17
Environmental carcinogenesis	IARC, France	Research grant	2/20
European studies	Luxembourg International University Institute	Two-week scholarships	2/33
Forestry	Applicant's country	Research grant	1/1
Geothermal	Geothermal Institute, New Zealand	Short-term fellowship	2/35
Human sciences	Applicant's country	Research grant	1/1
Hydrology	Any country	Short- and long-term fellowships	2/44

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Field of study	Country of study	Type or value of scholarship/grant	Part/Page
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Information/ informatics	Donor countries	Short-term fellowship	1/4
International economics	USA	Master's degree or doctoral scholarship	2/17
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	UK	Depending on programme	2/37
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	Japan	Short-term fellowship	2/3
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Media art	UNESCO Member States	Short-term fellowship	1/5
Meteorology	Any country	Short- and long-term fellowships	2/44
Music	UNESCO Member States	Short-term fellowship	1/5
Natural resources	Applicant's country	Research grant	1/1
Neurosciences	Hungary	One-year fellowship or travel grant	2/24
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		Short-term scholarship	2/25

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Politics and security studies	USA	Master's degree or doctoral scholarship	2/17
Population	USA	Master's degree or doctoral scholarship	2/17
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Rice growing	Philippines and IRRI collaborating institutions	Research and training grant	2/30
Rural development	Applicant's country	Research grant	1/1
Science and technology	UNESCO Member States, USA and Singapore	Short-term or research grant	1/2
	Chosen countries	Study grant	1/3
	Donor countries	Short-term fellowship	1/4
Social and human sciences	UNESCO Member States, USA and Singapore	Short-term or research grant	1/2
	Chosen countries	Study grant	1/3
	Donor countries	Short-term fellowship	1/4
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Field of study	Country of study	Type or value of scholarship/grant	Part/Page
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ACRONYMS

ACU	Association of Commonwealth Universities
ADS	Australian Development Scholarships
AIT	Asian Institute of Technology
ALA	Core Programme for the Advancement of Librarianship (IFLA)
APO	Asian Productivity Organization
BOND	British Overseas Industrial Placement
CFTC	Commonwealth Fund for Technical Cooperation
CSFP	Commonwealth Scholarships and Fellowships Plan
Danida	Danish International Development Assistance
DFID	Department for International Development (UK)
FCO	Foreign and Commonwealth Office
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
IAU	International Astronomical Union
IBRO	International Brain Research Organization
ICTP	Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics
IFLA	International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions
IMF	International Monetary Fund

IRRI	International Rice Research Institute
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
NZODA	New Zealand Official Development Assistance
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UPU	Universal Postal Union
WB	World Bank
WHO	World Health Organization
WMO	World Meteorological Organization

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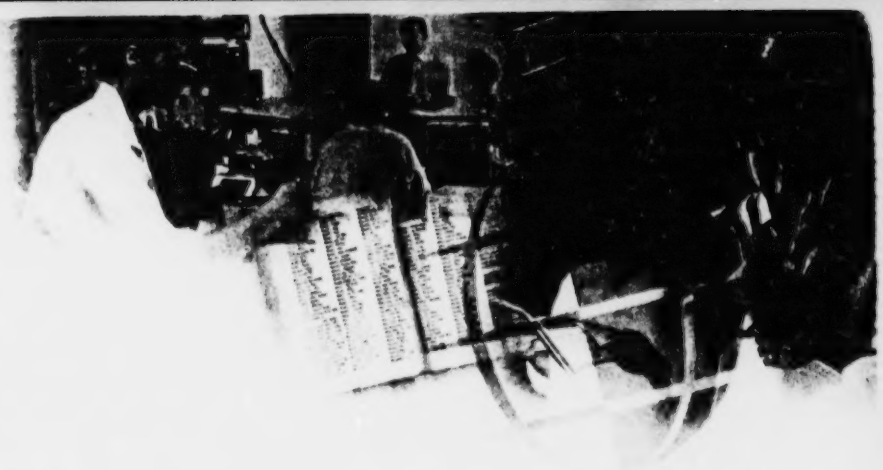

PART ONE

UNESCO Fellowships

UNESCO
Division of Ecological Sciences

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57352 Paris 07 SP, France

Fax: (33) (1) 4567 1690
Web: http://www.unesco.org

Man and the Biosphere (M.A.B.) Young Scientists Research Grant Awards (10 annually)

Subjects: biology, development studies, ecology, environment, forestry, human sciences, marine sciences, natural resources, research, rural development.

Place of study: in applicant's country; endorsement of national M.A.B. committee is an obligatory requirement.

Open to: candidates of Member and non-Member States of UNESCO that have a national M.A.B. committee, holding a first degree; age limit: 40 years.

Duration: 1 or 2 years, depending upon the objective of study (not renewable).

Value: maximum US$5,000 (funds cannot be used for international travel).

Applications: by July.

UNESCO
Equipment and Fellowships Division

7, place de Fontenoy
57352 Paris 07 SP, France

Fax: (33) (1) 4567 1690
Web: http://www.unesco.org

1. Individual fellowships

Subjects: education, science and technology, social and human sciences, culture, communication, information and informatics; in most cases related to the promotion of economic and social development.

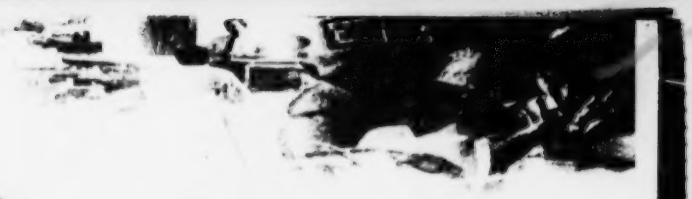
Place of study: in UNESCO Member States as well as in the United States and in Singapore.

Open to: nationals of UNESCO Member States and Associate Members to provide them with opportunities to further primarily higher education or research generally abroad and to acquire international experience in fields of study for which appropriate facilities are not available in the country of origin.

Duration: not exceeding 9 months.

Value: monthly allowance, travel, tuition, termination and book allowances (on a case by case basis).

Applications: through the national authorities specially designated by UNESCO Member States (usually National Commission for UNESCO or appropriate ministry); direct applications by individuals and private bodies cannot be considered by the UNESCO Secretariat.



2. Study Grants

Subjects: communication, cultural activities, education, natural and technological sciences, social sciences.

Place of study: in several countries or in several places within one country, on observation or consultation visits.

Open to: nationals of Member States of UNESCO who occupy positions of high professional responsibility in their countries; candidates will propose their own programme of visits to UNESCO for approval, and will be required to present a report on their return; all candidates must be nominated by their governments.

Duration: maximum 2 months.

Value: covers economy travel expenses and daily allowance based on United Nations subsistence rate or ad hoc rates.

Applications: must be presented by the competent national authorities designated by the governments of UNESCO Member States (in general the National Commission for UNESCO or the competent ministry in the field of study chosen); no consideration can be given to applications submitted by individuals or private bodies.

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3. Fellowships donated by Member States and sponsored by UNESCO

Subjects: education, science and technology, social sciences, culture, communication, information and informatics.

Place of study: in donor/sponsoring country.

Open to: nationals of UNESCO Member States and Associate Members particularly from developing countries; often, donors of sponsored fellowships designate the Member States to be invited to submit applications; the purpose of these awards, provided in the framework of the UNESCO Fellowship Bank Scheme, is to offer opportunities to Fellows to further primarily higher education or research abroad and to acquire international experience in relevant fields of study.

Duration: as required by study programme offered by donor Member States and approved by UNESCO.

Value: the main financial responsibilities in the country of study undertaken by sponsoring country; international travel costs (usually not provided) to be borne by beneficiary or his governmental authorities; UNESCO, whenever possible, will endeavour to cover such international travel expenses, particularly for beneficiaries from LDCs.

Applications: through the national authorities specially designated by UNESCO Member States (usually National Commission for UNESCO or appropriate ministry); direct applications cannot be considered by the UNESCO Secretariat; information on request to be supplied through national authorities only.

UNESCO
International Fund for the Promotion of Culture (IFPC)

7, place de Fontenoy
57352 Paris 07 SP, France

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Web: http://www.unesco.org

UNESCO-ASCHBERG scholarships for artists in visual arts, music, dance, creative writing, performing arts, textile research and design, and media arts.

Place of study: in UNESCO Member States as well as in Palestinian Autonomous Territories and in the United States.

Open to: nationals of all countries; artists under 35 years.

Duration: vary according to the country and the bursary.

Applications: by 30 April to IFPC at the above address or the host institution (addresses are indicated in the texts of respective announcement); special application form and information booklet on request at the same address.

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PART TWO

International and Bilateral Fellowships

Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP)

(formerly International Centre for Theoretical Physics)

Strada Costiera 11
34014 Trieste, Italy

Fax: (39) (40) 224163
Web: http://www.ictp.trieste.it/
Email: sci_info@ictp.trieste.it

Research grants

Subject: (a) physics of condensed matter; physics and energy; earth and environmental sciences; physics of the living state; physics and technology; (b) physics of condensed matter; physics of high and intermediate energies, mathematics, microprocessors, communication, radiopropagation.

Place of study: in Italy.

Open to: (a) applicants from all developing countries members of the United Nations. Minimum qualifications: M.Sc. with 2 years experience, Ph.D. an asset; (b) nationals from United Nations, IAEA or UNESCO Member States, with at least an M.Sc. in physics or mathematics plus 2 years experience; good knowledge of specialized English required.

Duration: (a) 1 year (plus 6 to 8 months extension); (b) 1 to 12 months.

Value: (a) round-trip contribution, monthly salary and allowances; amount of stipend depends on qualification and seniority; (b) monthly stipend, round-trip where applicable, and allowances according to length of visit.

Applications: (a) to ICTP Programme for Training and Research in Italian Laboratories, at the above address; (b) to the Secretary of (relevant) research Group, at the above address.

Asian Institute of Technology (AIT)

P.O. Box 4, Klongluang
Pathumthani 12120, Thailand

Fax: (66) (2) 5162126
Web: http://www.ait.ac.th
Email: ascao@ait.ac.th

AIT internal and donated scholarships (partial and full scholarships, termly).

Subject: advanced technologies, civil engineering, environment resources and development, management, languages.

Place of study: Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand

Open to: some are restricted to students in particular fields of study or from particular countries; some are offered for female applicants only; internal scholarships are available only for the master or doctoral programmes with selection according to academic performance and professional experience; full scholarships are strictly limited to exceptionally well-qualified candidates.

Duration: five terms for the master; 9 terms for the doctoral programme.

Value: partial scholarships: US$6,800; full scholarships: US$18,200 for master and US$32,760 for doctoral.

Applications: 1 May for January intake; 1 September for May intake; 1 January for September intake; at the above address.

Asian Productivity Organization (APO)

4-14 Akasaka 8-chome
Minato-ku
Tokyo 107, Japan

Fax: (81) (3) 3408 7220
Web: http://www.apo-tokyo.com
Email: apo@gol.com

Productivity Fellowships (2)

Subject: management practices and productivity movement activities of Japan and development of new ideas and management practices.

Place of study: in Japan.

Open to: candidates from APO member countries (Bangladesh, China, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam) with university education qualification and experience in productivity promotion in their country; good knowledge of English and Japanese is essential.

Duration: 32 weeks (scholarships begin usually mid-August).

Value: covers travel, living allowance, books, administrative secretariat assistance, printing, etc.

Applications: 6 months before commencement, to the APO Liaison Officer or to the National Productivity Organization of respective member countries.

Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU)

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Email: awards@acu.ac.uk

(a) **Time Higher Education Supplement Exchange Fellowship** (1)

(b) **ACU Development Fellowships, Administrative Travelling Fellowships and Senior Travelling Fellowships** (40)

(c) **Shared Scholarship Scheme** (175)

(d) **Commonwealth Foundation medical electives bursaries** (approx. 50)

(e) **Edward Boyle Memorial Trust medical electives bursaries** (approx. 55)

(f) **Commonwealth Scholarships and Common-wealth Academic Staff Scholarships** (up to 300);

(g) **Commonwealth Fellowships** (50);

(h) **T.H.B. Symons Fellowships** (1);

Subjects: (a) unrestricted; (b) unrestricted, but preference for fields in which the needs of developing countries are great; (c) restricted to subjects related to economic and social development; (d) and (e) priority to community health, especially maternal and child care, nutrition, orthopaedics, diseased of the ear, nose and throat, eye diseases, tropical medicine; (f) and (g) unrestricted; (h) Commonwealth studies.

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Place of study: (a) in any developing Commonwealth country; (b) unless otherwise stipulated, in any Commonwealth country other then candidate's own; (c) at participating institutions in United Kingdom; (d) and (e) in hospitals or other medical establishments in a Commonwealth country other than candidate's own, preferably in Third World; (f) at approved institution of higher learning; (g) at university-level institution; (h) at any ACU member institution outside fellow's own country.

Open to: (a) academic, administrative and library staff of ACU member universities in developing Commonwealth countries, normally 55 years; (b) staff of university of ACU membership or of Commonwealth inter-university organization or working in industry, commerce or public service in a Commonwealth country, aged 28-50. The programme has been devised for people of proven quality at a crucial stage of their career; it is not a postdoctoral or degree-earning scheme; (c) students from developing Commonwealth countries not employed by a government department of parastatal organization, aged normally 35, and with good knowledge of English (priority is given to candidates from poorer developing countries); (d) and (e) senior medical students from approved medical schools within the Commonwealth for an elective period elsewhere in the Commonwealth; (f) Commonwealth citizens and British protected persons under 42 who have completed a first degree or master's degree within last 10 years, and are permanently resident in Commonwealth countries other than United Kingdom; (g) Commonwealth citizens or British protected persons under 50 who have completed their doctorate no less than 5 and no more than 10 years by the date of taking up an award and who are permanently resident in a developing Commonwealth country; (h) persons of high academic quality or promise who are citizens of a Commonwealth country.

Duration: (a) up to a maximum of 3 months; (b) up to a maximum of 6 months; (c) 1 year's taught master's degree. (d) and (e) preference is given to short-term attachments of 5-10 weeks; (f) for 1 to 2 years initially, maximum 3 years; (g) t or 12 months; (h) 3 to 6 months.

Value: (a) up to £3,000 (sterling); (b) up to a maximum of £5,000 (sterling), according to individual circumstances for travel, board,

insurance, fees other than bench fees; (c) full cost of study, including return airfare, maintenance and thesis allowance. (d) and (e) £1,000 (sterling) to cover part of the travel subsistence and local costs of the student; (f) includes university fees, return travel, allowances, maintenance (plus for spouse and children); (g) maintenance (also for spouse and children) and travel allowances; (h) subsistence and travel allowance.

Applications: (a) through executive head of staff member's own university; (b) and (i) candidates must be nominated by executive head of university in ACU membership or by chief executive officer of a Commonwealth inter-university organization; (c) to participating institutions; (d) and (e) to dean of candidate's medical school in the first instance at the same address; (f) for Commonwealth Scholarships, through Commonwealth Scholarship Agency in country in which candidate permanently resides; for Commonwealth Academic Staff Scholarships, by nomination by executive head of own university; (g) by nomination only.

AusAID Scholarship Program

AusAID Scholarship Program is an aid programme of the Government of Australia aiming at contributing to the economic and social advancement of the people of developing countries. The Australian Development Scholarships (ADS) have replaced most scholarships previously offered by AusAID.

Subjects: a wide range of disciplines as determined annually as part of Australia's bilateral development assistance programme with the recipient countries.

Place of study: tertiary institutions in Australia.

Open to: citizens of Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Fiji, French Polynesia, Indonesia, Kiribati, Lao PDR, Maldives, Micronesia, Nauru, Nepal, New Caledonia, Niue, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Viet Nam.

Duration: minimum period that the individual could be expected to complete the academic programme.

Value: return airfare, academic and compulsory fees, basic health insurance, establishment allowance (A$1,677 at the beginning of each long-term award), and living allowance (A$15,684 per annum).

Applications: for further information and application, contact the Australian Diplomatic Mission in the country of citizenship or the nearest.

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The British Council administers a number of scholarships funded by various agencies such as the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO), Department for International Development (DFID) and institutions in the U.K, some of which are mentioned hereunder. For further information, contact the British Council or the British Embassy/High Commissioner in your country.

(a) **Chevening Scholarships** (funded by FCO)
(b) **FCO shared funding scholarships**
(c) **Bank of England Scholarships**
(d) **British Overseas Industrial Placement (BOND) Scheme**

Subjects: (a) and (b) almost any subjects relevant to the needs of the countries; (c) banking related subjects; (d) trading and commerce

Place of study: UK institutions of higher education

Open to: (a) nationals of Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Viet Nam, and Central Asian countries; (b) Central Asian countries, China, India, Indonesia, Malaysia; (c) Bangladesh, China; (d) China, Malaysia

Duration: (a), (b) and (c) not more than one year; (d) 6-12 months

Value: depending on the types of award, fees only, full or partial.

Applications: for further information, contact the British Council or the British Embassy/High Commission in the country of citizenship.

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Commonwealth Fund for Technical Co-operation (CFTC)

Commonwealth Secretariat
Marlborough House
Pall Mall
London SW1Y 5HX, United Kingdom

Fax: (44) (171) 747 6313

CFTC awards (3,000)

Subjects: all fields contributing to economic and social development according to national priorities; (preference is given to professional, vocational and technician-level training, or training attachments).

Place of study: mainly in Commonwealth developing countries.

Open to: suitably qualified candidates from Commonwealth countries, nominated by their governments. Proficiency in English required.

Duration: maximum of 3 years.

Value: travel costs, fees and personal allowances.

Applications: at least 3 months before beginning of study programme; to the Director, Management and Training Services Division, Commonwealth Secretariat, through points of contact in counties as listed below:

Bangladesh Deputy Chief
Economic Relations Division, Ministry of Finance
Block 16, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka 7

Tel: 880-2 313802/314748
Fax: 880-2 813088

Brunei

Assistant Director
Economic Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Bandar Seri Begawan, 1120 Darussalam

Tel: 673-2 261177
Fax: 673-2 261703

Cook Islands

Assistant Secretary
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
P.O. Box 105, Avarua, Rarotonga

Tel: 682 29347
Fax: 682 21247

India

Under-Secretary (IA)
Department of Economic Affairs
Ministry of Finance, New Delhi 110001

Tel: 91-11 3014420
Fax: 91-11 3012477/3013289

Kiribati

Under-Secretary
Public Service Division, Office of the President,
P.O. Box 68, Bairiki, Tarawa

Tel: 686 21183
Fax.686 21145

Malaysia

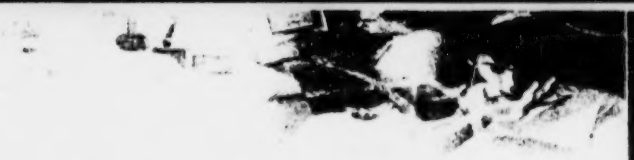
Director
External Assistance Section
Economic Planning Unit, P.M.'s Department
Jalan Dato Onn, Kuala Lumpur 50502

Tel: 603 2300133/2933333
Fax: 603 2014961/2914268

Maldives

Deputy Director
Department of External Resources
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Boduthakurufaanu Magu, Male 20-05

Tel: 960 317582/323400-8
Fax: 960 317592



Nauru

Secretary for External Affairs
Republic of Nauru

Tel: 674 4443191
Fax: 674 4443105

Niue

Assistant Head of External Affairs
External Affairs Office, Premier's Department,
P.O. Box 40, Alofi

Tel: 683 4200, Ext. 87
Fax: 683 4206/4232

Pakistan

Deputy Chief
International Economic Relations
Economic Affairs Division
Ministry of Finance, Islamabad

Tel: 9251 9201010
Fax: 9251 9205971/9210734

Papua New Guinea

Director
International Organisation Branch
Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
P.O. Box 422, Waigani

Tel: 675 3001151
Fax: 675 3254886

Samoa

Assistant Secretary
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
P.O. Box L1861, Apia

Tel: 685 21500
Fax: 685 21504

Singapore

Director
International Organisation Directorate
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
250 North Bridge Road
#07-00 Raffles City Tower
Singapore 0617

Tel: 65 3305766
Fax: 65 3375425

Solomon Islands

Assistant Secretary
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade Relations
P.O. Box G10, Honiara

Tel: 677 21250
Fax: 677 20351/21560

Sri Lanka

Director
External Resources Division
Ministry of Finance and Planning
P.O. Box 277
Colombo 2

Tel: 941 327980/324445
Fax: 941 447633/449823

Tonga

Secretary for Foreign Affairs
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
P.O. Box 821, Nuku'alofa

Tel: 676 23600
Fax: 676 23360

Tuvalu

Secretary to Government and Foreign Affairs
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Office of the Prime Minister
Private Mail Bag, Vaiaku, Funafuit

Fax: 688 20819

Vanuatu

Director
National Planning and Statistics Office
Office of the Prime Minister
P.O. Box 741, Port Vila

Tel: 678 23306/22605
Fax: 678 23087

Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan (CSFP)

John Foster House
36 Gordon Square
London WC1H OPE, United Kingdom

Fax: (44) (171) 387 2655

Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan, normally for postgraduate study; but some for undergraduates. Varying number of awards made available each year by Australia, Brunei, Canada, Ghana, India, Jamaica, Malaysia, Malta, New Zealand, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Trinidad and Tobago, Uganda, United Kingdom.

Subject: normally unrestricted.

Place of study: in universities and associated institutions in the awarding countries listed above (other than recipient's country of permanent residence).

Open to: post-graduate students, citizens of and permanent residents of a Commonwealth country, candidates must have taken first degree or master's within the last 10 years; good standard of English necessary.

Duration: up to 36 months, not renewable.

Value: tuition fees and living stipend, plus return flights, study travel allowance and thesis allowance.

Applications: depend on deadline set by agency in applicant's home country; enquiries to Commonwealth Scholarship Agency (see list below) in candidate's country or permanent residence. Only candidates initially selected and nominated by their home country can be considered for awards. The home agency will be able to inform enquirers which awards under the scheme are currently available to them.

Australia	IDP Education Australia Limited GPO Box 2006, Canberra, A.C.T. 2601
Bangladesh	The Secretary Ministry of Education, Building No. 6 17th & 18th Floor Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka
Brunei	The Permanent Secretary Ministry of Education Bandar Seri Begawan 1170 Negara
India	Director (Scholarships) Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Education External Scholarship Division A1/W3, Curzon Road Barracks Kasturba Gandhi Marg New Delhi 110001
Kiribati	The Secretary Ministry of Education P.O. Box 263, Bikenibeu Tarawa
Malaysia	The Director-General of Public Service Public Services Department, Training Division 2nd Level, Block B JPA Complex, Tun Ismail Road Kuala Lumpur
Maldives	Senior Programme Officer Department of External Resources Ministry of Finance and Treasury Male
Nauru	The Secretary for Health and Education Department of Education Nauru

New Zealand
Executive Director
New Zealand Vice-Chancellor's Committee
P.O. Box 11-915
Manners Street
Wellington

Pakistan
The Deputy Educational Adviser (Scholarships)
(International Co-operation Wing)
Ministry of Education
Islamabad

Papua New Guinea
The Secretary
Department of Personnel Management
PO Wards Strip, Waigani
National Capital District

Samoa
The Secretary
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
P.O. Box L1861
Apia

Singapore
The Permanent Secretary
Ministry of Finance, Public Service Division
8 Shenton Way, No. 47-01
Treasure Building
Singapore 0106

Sri Lanka
The Secretary
Ministry of Higher Education
18 Ward Place
Colombo 7

Tonga
The Minister of Education
Ministry of Education
P.O. Box 161
Nuku'alofa

Tuvalu
The Training Division
Office of the Prime Ministers
Vaiaku

Danida Fellowships Programme

Subjects: subjects relevant to the needs of the recipient developing countries

Place of study: Denmark

Open to: nationals of developing countries with an annual per capita GNP of less than US$2,500 who have completed their basic studies and must have some years of practical experience.

Duration: two weeks to ten months

Value: return economy airfares, fees, local transport, and living allowances.

Applications: for information and application forms, contact the Royal Danish Embassy or Consulate in the country of citizenship or the nearest.

International Rice Research Institute (IRRI)

MPCO, P.O. Box 3127
Makati City 1271, Philippines

Fax: (63) (2) 845 0606
Web: http://www.cgiar.org/irri
Email: irri@cgiar.org

Research training programmes:

(a) **Full Research Scholarships**
(b) **Research Scholarships, Thesis-only**
(c) **On-the-Job (non-degree) Training**

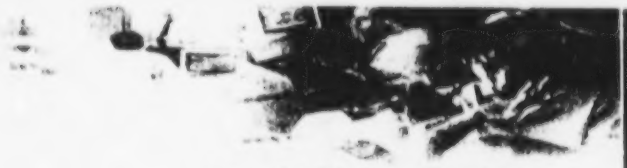
Subject: related to the six major programmes of IRRI: irrigated rice, rainfed lowland rice, upland rice, cross-ecosystems, genetic resources, and accelerating impact of rice research.

Place of study: at IRRI, Los Banos, Philippines, and collaborating institutions throughout the world.

Open to: (a) qualified students from Bangladesh, China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand; (b) scholars from Bangladesh, China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand who have finished their formal studies and are ready to conduct thesis research.

Duration: (a) 2 1/2 years for MS scholars, and 3 1/2 years for PhD scholars; (b) 2 1/2 years

Applications: to the Head of Training Center, IRRI, at the above address for further information.



East-West Center

1601 East-West Road
Honolulu, HI 96848

Fax: (01-808) 944 7600
Web: http://www.EastWestCenter.org
Email: fellowships@EastWestCenter.org

(a) **Student Program**
(b) **The Jefferson Fellowships**
(c) **Visiting Fellowships in Conflict/Issue Resolution**

Subjects: (a) fields emphasized in the Center's Research Program, i.e. international economic, politics and security studies, population, and environment; (b) journalism; (c) conflict/issue resolution

Place of study: The University of Hawai'i and the East-West Center

Open to: (a) nationals of the US and Asia-Pacific countries holding Bachelor's or Master's degree; (b) mid-career journalists who are national of the US or Asia-Pacific countries; (c) applicants who are residents of the US or Asia-Pacific countries holding a Ph.D. or equivalent.

Duration: corresponding to the requirement of the study programmes.

Value: each grant covers economy airfares, fees, and basic allowances.

Applications: for further information and application form contact the East-West Center at the above address.

Fulbright Program

The US Department of State administers the Fulbright Program which comprises the Fulbright Student Program and the Fulbright Scholar Program.

The Fulbright Student Program enables citizens of other nations to pursue degree, non-degree and specialized study in the US. The Fulbright Grants for Visiting Scholars help hundreds of scholars from around the world to conduct advanced research, lecture, or pursue combined lecturing and research in the US universities each year. For more information, contact the American Embassy in the country of citizenship or, in the following countries:

China
American Center for Educational Exchange
Jianggiang Center, Suite 2801, Box 84
Hu Jia Lou, Chao Yang District
Beijing 100020

India
United States Educational Foundation in India
Fulbright House
12 Hailey Road
New Delhi 110001

Indonesia
American-Indonesian Exchange Foundation
Gedung Balai Pustaka, 6th floor
Jalan Gunung Sahari Raya 4
Jakarta 10720

Japan
Japan-United States Educational Commission
Sanno Grand Building, 206 14-2, 2nd Floor
Nagata-cho, Chiyoda-ku
Tokyo 100

Malaysia
Commission for Educational Exchange between the United States of America and Malaysia
8th Floor, Menara John Hancock
Jalan Gelenggang
Damansara Heights
50490 Kuala Lumpur

Nepal
United States Educational Foundation in Nepal
Thamel (behind Hotel Malla)
P.O. Box 380
Kathmandu

Pakistan
United States Educational Foundation in Pakistan
House 2, Street 84
Ataturk Avenue G-6/4
P.O. Box 1128
Islamabad

Philippines
Philippine-American Educational Foundation
3rd Floor, Accelerando Building
395 Senator Gil J. Puyat Avenue
1200 Makati, Metro Manila

Sri Lanka
United States Educational Foundation
in Sri Lanka
American Center Annex
39 Sir Ernest De Silva Mawatha
Colombo 7

Taiwan
Foundation for Scholarly Exchange
2nd Floor, 1-A Chuan Chow Street
Taipei 100

Thailand
Thailand-United States Educational Foundation
Thai Wah Tower 1, 3rd Floor
21/5 South Sathorn Road
Bangkok 10120

Viet Nam
Center for Educational Exchange with Vietnam
91 Pho Tho Nhuom
Hanoi

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)

World Health Organization (WHO)
150, cours Albert-Thomas
69372 Lyon Cedex 08, France

Fax: (33) 472 738575
Web: http://www.iarc.fr
Email: elakroud@iarc.fr

Fellowships for Research Training in Cancer (12-13)

Subjects: applications in the field of environmental carcinogenesis including cancer epidemiology and biostatistics, all aspects of chemical and viral carcinogenesis, cell biology, cell genetics, molecular biology and mechanisms and carcinogenesis.

Place of study: at IARC or a suitable institution (where research facilities and materials exist) in a country other than candidate's own.

Open to: junior post-doctoral candidates of any nationality who have no more than 5 years' post-doctoral experience, with adequate knowledge of English or the language of country to be visited; applications are encouraged from epidemiologists and laboratory scientists for interdisciplinary training that will facilitate the conduct of genetic and molecular epidemiological research; applicants requiring basic training in cancer epidemiology will also be considered; applications cannot be accepted and will not be considered if the applicant is receiving post-doctoral training abroad, or has already started post-doctoral work at the host institute. Preference will be given to applicants who have not previously received post-doctoral training abroad in cancer research; candidates must provide a written assurance of a position to which they will return upon termination of fellowship.

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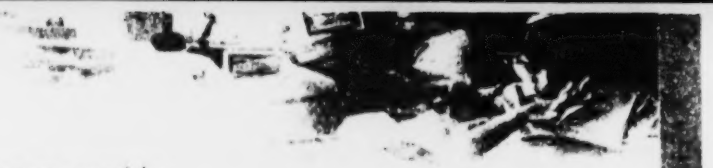


Duration: 1 year, non-renewable.

Value: stipends that vary according to cost of living in country of study; cover living expenses plus small dependants' allowance and round-trip travel to host institution for candidate and in certain circumstances one adult dependant.

Applications: by 31 December, to Cancer Research Fellowship Programme, at the above address.

International Astronomical Union (IAU)

98 bis, boulevard Arago
75014 Paris, France

Fax: (33) (1) 43252616
Web: http://www.intastun.org
Email: iau@iap.fr

Travel grants to promote the international exchange of astronomers and allow study in countries equipped with better observatories, laboratories, computing facilities, etc.

Subject: astronomy.

Open to: astronomers of all countries possessing a Doctor's degree or working on their thesis; students of astronomy, particularly from developing countries, possessing a Bachelor's degree and recommended by a responsible astronomer.

Duration: more than 2 months.

Applications: at any time, at the IAU Commission 38 on Exchange of Astronomers, to the Chairman, NRAO, 520 Edgemont Rd., Charlottesville, VA 22903, USA (Tel: (1) (804) 296 0233; Fax: (1) (804) 296 0278; e-mail: mroberts@nrao.edu) or to the Vice-President, ESO, Karl Schwarzschildstrasse 2, 85748 Garching bei Munchen, Germany (Tel: 49 89 320 06276; Fax: 49 89 320 2362; e-mail: rwest@eso.org).

International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA)

Vienna International Centre
Wagramerstrasse 5
P.O. Box 100
1400 Vienna, Austria

Fax: (43) 1 20607
Web: http://www.iaea.ar.at
Email: official.mail@iaea.org

Fellowships (900)

Subjects: any scientific or technical field related to the peaceful uses of atomic energy and the use of radio-isotopes in agriculture, industry, medicine, research, etc.

Place of study: suitable institution in any country.

Open to: nationals of developing member states of IAEA; candidates, usually under 40 years, must be nominated by their governments and have at least a university degree in science or engineering and language competence as required by host institution/country.

Duration: up to 1 year.

Values: stipend at UNDP rates.

Applications: by 1 July, though acceptable throughout the year; endorsed by ministry having jurisdiction over IAEA matters in candidate's country.

International Brain Research Organization (IBRO)

51, Boulevard de Montmorency
75016 Paris, France

Fax: (33) (1) 4520 6006
Web: http://www.ibro.org
Email: ibro@pratique.fr

(a) **IBRO/UNESCO Research Fellowships**
(b) **IBRO Travel grants**

Subjects: neurosciences.

Place of study: Hungary.

Open to: candidates under the age of 45 of all nationalities at postdoctoral level, already engaged in the field of neuroscience and with a good knowledge of English or of the host country's language.

Duration: 1 year.

Applications: no later than 1 April 2000 for fellowships and grants to be awarded in 2001, to IBRO Secretariat, at the above address, including the following documents: a short curriculum vitae; a short research synopsis; a list of the applicant's 5 most important publications; a letter of acceptance from the receiving institute; no application forms required.

International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP)

P.O. Box 586
34100 Trieste, Italy

Fax: (39) 40224163
Email: mosca@ictp.trieste.it

Scholarships for diploma course participant in condensed matter physics, high-energy physics and pure mathematics (30 annually).

Open to: nationals from United Nations, IAEA or UNESCO Member States, holding a degree equivalent to a M.Sc. (or a good B.Sc.) with good knowledge of English.

Duration: 1 year (renewable).

Value: £1,150,000 per month, including health insurance and low-cost meal coupons (limited number).

Applications: by 31 December to the Secretary of (relevant) Research Group, at the above address with application form, authorized English version of transcript of academic records and highest university degree obtained, 2 letters of recommendation, certificates of university courses proving English speaking, writing and reading ability.

International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA)

P.O. Box 95312
2509 CH The Hague
Netherlands

Fax: (31) (70) 3834827
Web: http://www.ifla.org
Email: IFLA@ifla.org

(a) **Grants and scholarships sponsored by Sida, FINNIDA, Swedish and Finnish Library Associations under IFLA's Core Programme for the Advancement of Librarianship (ALP)**

(b) **The Hans-Peter Geh Grant for Conference Participation**

(c) **IFLA/OCLC Early Career Development Fellowships**

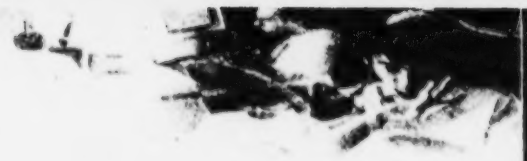
Subjects: (a) library science; (b) participation in IFLA seminars or conferences; (c) information technologies, library operations and management

Place of study: (c) Online Computer Library Center, Inc., Dublin, Ohio, U.S.A

Open to: (a) and (c) library and information professionals from developing countries; (b) librarians from the former Soviet Union, including the Baltic States.

Duration: (b) the same duration as the seminar/conference; (b) four weeks

Applications: (a) for further information, contact:



IFLA ALP
c/o Uppsala University Library
Box 510
SE-751 20 Uppsala, Sweden

Fax: (46) (18) 4713994
Email: ifla.alp@ub.uu.se

(c) Application for programme in April-May 2002 is accepted until 26 April 2001. Each award provides round-trip airfare, local transportation in the US or Canada, lodging, per diem and book allowance. For further information and application procedure, contact:

OCLC Online Computer Library Center, Incorporated
6565 Frantz Road
Dublin, OH 43017-3395
U.S.A

Web: http://www.oclc.org
Email: institute@oclc.org

International Mathematical Union

Instituto de Matematica Pura e Aplicada
Estrada Dona Castorina 110
Jadim Botanico
22460 Rio de Janeiro, R.J., Brazil

Fax: (55) (21) 512 4112
Email: imu@impa.br

Travel grants to attend International Congresses of Mathematicians (offered every 4 years).

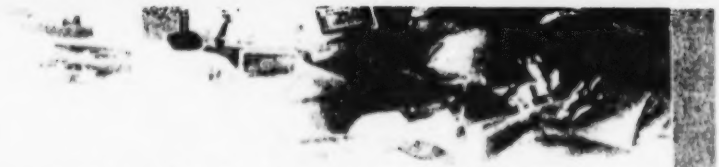
Subject: mathematics.

Open to: candidates from developing countries aged under 35 years; proficiency in English.

Duration: duration of Congress (10 days in the month of August).

Value: reimbursement of travel expenses, in economy class and per diem to cover local expenses.

Applications: by 31 December of the year preceding the Congress, to the Secretary.



International Monetary Fund (IMF)

Administrative Division
IMF Institute - IS 2-1300
700 19th Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20341, U.S.A

Fax: (1) (202) 623 6490
Web: http://www.imf.org/external/np/ins/index.htm
Email: publications@imf.org

Scholarships offered:

(a) **once a year with funding from Japan** (approx.: 25) **and Australia** (approx. 10) **for studies in economics leading to a Master's Degree;**

(b) **with funding from Japan for studies in economics leading to a Ph.D.** (approx. 15).

Place of study: (a) in Japan or in Australia; (b) at top universities in North America.

Open to: (a) young, promising, junior officials of selected IMF member countries (Cambodia, China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyztan, Lao PDR, Mongolia, Myanmar, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, and Viet Nam) employed in an official government agency (Ministry of Finance or Economic, Central Bank, etc.); sponsored by the employing agency and, if accepted, will be granted a leave of absence and be reintegrated at least to his/her former position upon return; (b) nationals of IMF member countries who have gained acceptance in the Ph.D. programme in economics at a top university in North America and who are willing to consider employment at one of the international financial organizations such as the IMF or return home to work in their government.

Duration: (a) in Japan: 18 months; in Australia: 1 year; (b) 2 years (including 3 months of internship in the IMF).

International Telecommunication Union (ITU)

Place des Nations
1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland

Fax: (41) 22 733 7256/7306500
Web: http://www.itu.int

Fellowships (100 to 150) **for training in the development, planning, organization, operation and maintenance of telecommunication networks for the economic and social development of the Fellow's country.**

Subject: data communications, digital technology, digital transmission, mobile telecommunications, satellite communications, telecommunications management, tele-communications policy, regulation and transition management, telecommunication customer services management.

Place of study: in any country where suitable facilities are available.

Open to: nationals of all Member States of the United Nations and affiliated organizations at the request of their government, priority is given to candidates from the least developed countries.

Duration: short-term courses (1 week to 1 month), longer-term training up to 12 months, depending on source of financing.

Value: fellowships are financed by UNDP or trust funds or from ITU's own funds. ITU arranges travel, accommodation and full illness and accident insurance coverage.

Applications: to the national authority in candidate's country of origin co-ordinating technical co-operation programmes, who will submit the candidature to ITU through appropriate channels. Applications received from individuals will not be considered.

International Union for Vacuum Science, Technique and Applications

EE Department
University of Salford
Salford M5 4WT, United Kingdom

Fax: (44) 161 295 5999
Web: http://www.vacuum.org/iuvsta.html
Email: WESTWOOD@ISTAR.CA

MW. Welch Foundation Scholarship (1)

Subjects: vacuum science and techniques.

Place of study: in approved laboratories in various countries different to that of the applicant.

Open to: all qualified scientists with preference for younger scientists with Bachelor's or preferably Doctor's degree; applications judged by a panel of trustees. Applicant must make arrangements to work in the laboratory nominated for his scholarship programme.

Duration: 1 year (not renewable).

Value: $12,500 per academic year.

Applications: by 15 April, to the Welch Scholarship Administrator, 7 Mohawk Crescent, Nepean, Ont. K2G 7G7, Canada.

Luxembourg International University Institute

162a, avenue de la Faiencerie
1511 Luxembourg, Luxembourg

Fax: (352) 471677
Web: http://www.iuil.lu

Scholarships (25 per subject group)

Subjects: legal studies and comparative law; political economics, European studies; study session on Luxembourg economics (on the national level).

Open to: candidates from all countries, having obtained their first degree; knowiedge of English and French required.

Duration: 2 weeks.

Applications: by 15 May to the Director's office.

The Netherlands Fellowships Programme

P.O. Box 29777
2502 LT the Hague
Netherlands

Fax: (31) (70) 4260189
Web: http://www.nuffic.nl
Email: nuffic@nuffic.nl

(a) **Regular Fellowships Programme (RFP)**
(b) **Special Fellowships Programme (SFP)**
(c) **University Fellowships Programme (UFP)**
(d) **Jan Tinbergen Scholarships Programme (TSP)**

Subjects: any vocational, technical, professional, and scientific discipline in accordance with the needs of the candidates' country

Place of study: The Netherlands.

Open to: (a) mid-career professionals from developing countries, (b) professionals from developing countries nominated by their employer, (c) national of Bangladesh and Pakistan, and (d) national of developing countries and countries in transition.

Duration: (b) less than 12 months, (c) 1-2 years.

Applications: For further information and application form, contact the nearest Netherlands diplomatic mission.

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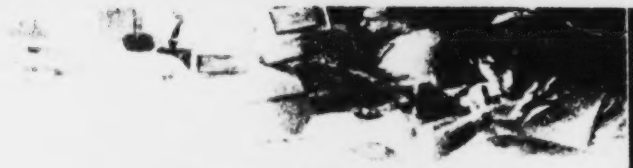


New Zealand Official Development Assistance (NZODA)

Development Cooperation Division
Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade
Private Bag 18 901, Wellington, New Zealand

Fax: (64) (4) 4948514
Web: http://www.mfat.govt.nz/nzoda
Email: enquiries @mft.govt.nz

(a) **NZODA Study Awards**
(b) **Pacific Regional Awards**
(c) **NZODA Short Term Training Awards**
(d) **NZODA Postgraduate Scholarships (PGS)**
(e) **NZODA Aotearoa Scholarships**
(f) **Geothermal Institute Scholarships**

Subjects: (a), (b) any subject; (c) vocational and/or skills courses or work attachments; (d), (e) areas of developmental relevance to candidates' home country; (f) geothermal diploma course and reservoir course;

Place of study: (a) and (c) New Zealand; (b) tertiary educational institutions in the South Pacific; (d) Auckland University, Canterbury University, Lincoln University, Massey University, Waikato University, Auckland University of Technology, Otago University; (e) New Zealand polytechnics and universities; (f) Geothermal Institute

Open to: applicants from:

(a) Bhutan, Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Indonesia, Kiribati, Lao PDR, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Nepal, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, and Viet Nam;

(c) special South Pacific countries;

(d) Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, French Polynesia, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kiribati, Kyrgystan, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Maldives, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nauru, Nepal, Niue, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Sri Lanka, Tajikistan, Thailand, Tonga, Tokelau, Turkmenistan, Tuvalu, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu, Viet Nam, Wallis and Futuna;

(e) South Pacific developing countries

Duration: (a), (b), (d), (e) Multi-year; (c) up to one year

Value: (a), (b), (c), (d), (f) cover basically fees, return economy airfares, a basic living allowance; (e) fees and partial living allowance;

Applications: (a), (b), (c) Apply to the agency in the candidates' home country responsible for selecting persons for study or training abroad under development cooperation programmes; (d) apply to an eligible institution listed above; (e) apply to CITEC Training Solutions Limited, Box 40 740, Upper Hutt, New Zealand; (f) apply to Geothermal Institute, University of Auckland, Private Bag 92019, Auckland, New Zealand;

Reuter Foundation

85 Fleet Street
London EC4P 4AJ, United Kingdom

Fax: (44) (171) 510 8599
Web: http://www.foundation.reuters.com
Email: foundation@reuters.com

Subjects: journalism and subjects related to it.

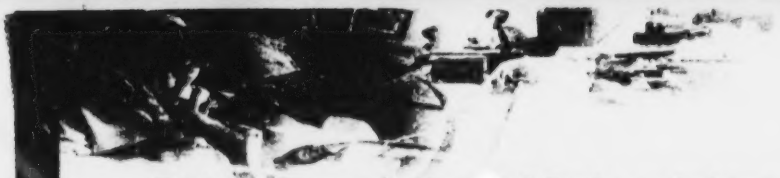
Place of study: U.K. and institutes in other collaborating countries.

Open to: nationals of a country in transition who are journalists or regular contributors to newspapers, news agencies, magazines, online news publishers, radio or television, aged 23 to 35 for training programmes, and 28 to 45 for university fellowships.

Duration: depending on the length of the training programmes.

Value: the Reuter Foundation will pay the cost of return airfare (economy class) between the Fellow's home and the university, tuition fees and living expenses.

Applications: to the Director, at the above address.



Rotary Foundation of Rotary International

One Rotary Center
1560 Sherman Avenue
Evanston, IL 60201-3698
U.S.A.

Fax: (1) (847) 328 8554
Web: http://www.rotary.org
Email: gerlach@riorc.mhs.compuserve.com

Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarships:

(a) **Academic-Year**;
(b) **Multi-year**;
(c) **Cultural**

Subjects: all major fields.

Place of study: in all countries having Rotary Clubs.

Open to: citizens of a country in which there is a Rotary Club. Scholarships are available to individuals of all ages, provided the candidate has completed at least 2 years of university coursework or equivalent professional experience prior to beginning scholarship studies. Spouses or descendants of Rotarians are not eligible; (c) applications will be considered for candidates interested in studying Arabic, English, French, German, Hebrew, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Mandarin Chinese, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Swahili and Swedish.

Duration: (a) 1 academic year; (b) 2 or 3 years of degree-oriented study; (c) 3 or 6 months of intensive language study and cultural immersion.

Value: (a) covers round-trip transportation, tuition, fees, room and board expenses, and some educational supplies up to US$25,000 or its equivalent; (b) flat grant of US$12,000 or its equivalent per year to be applied toward the costs of a degree

programme; (c) cover round-trip transportation, language training expenses and homestay living arrangements, up to US$12,000 and US$19,000 respectively.

Applications: through a Rotary Club near candidate's domicile or place of study. Further information obtainable from the above address.

The Hague Academy of International Law

Peace Palace
Carnegieplein 2
2517 KJ The Hague, Netherlands

Web: http://www.pi.net/~interlaw/home.html

(a) **Scholarships for sessions of courses** (2 per country and per year);

(b) **Doctoral scholarships** (4 in total)

Subjects: (a) public or international law: (b) completion of (already advanced) doctoral thesis in private or public international law.

Open to: (a) no citizenship requirements, aged under 40; law studies at least for 4 years (or equivalent qualifications); fluent English or scholarship is meant for completion of already advanced doctoral theses (postgraduate level); adequate knowledge of English or French.

Duration: (a) 3 weeks; (b) 2 months.

Value: (a) Fl 1,900, covering registration fees and living expenses; travel expenses not included; (b) allowance of 75 Fl per day covering partial contribution to travel expenses.

Applications: by 1 March, to the Secretariat of the Academy.

Universal Postal Union (UPU)

International Bureau
Case postale
3000 Berne 15, Switzerland

Fax: (41) (31) 3503110
Web: http://www.unpi.com/upu.html

Scholarships (approx. 300 per year) **for professional study and in-service training**

Subjects: vary according to training needs of country concerned; cover only postal services with the exception of teacher-training course.

Place of study: administrations, postal schools, and specialized institutions in all countries.

Open to: post office employees of any nationality with professional experience and who are nominated by administrations or postal companies of member countries of UPU, especially from developing countries.

Duration: from 1 week to 2 years, according to course chosen.

Value: varies according to place of course; between US$1,500 to US$17,000 plus return journey fares.

Applications: according to the conditions communicated to postal administrations.

World Bank

Economic Development Institute
1818 H. Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20433
U.S.A.

Fax: (1) 676 0962
Web: http://www.worldbank.org

Robert S. McNamara Fellowships (approx. 10)

Subjects: postgraduate research in fields relating to economic development.

Place of study: in a Bank member country that is eligible to borrow.

Open to: individuals normally 35 years or under who are nationals of a Bank member country and hold a minimum academic qualification of a Master's degree or equivalent. Research must be carried out in the applicant's home country, or country of residence at the time of applying. Fellowships do not support work leading to an advanced degree.

Duration: 12 months (not renewable).

Value: US$7,500, covering subsistence, medical insurance and research costs.

Applications: by 31 December, to Robert S. McNamara Fellowships Program, at the above address.

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World Health Organization (WHO)

Avenue Appia
1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland

Fax: (41) (22) 791 0746
Web: http://www.who.org

Fellowships awarded through WHO Member States governments

Subject: fields of public health, health organizations and services, medical sciences, medicine and surgery.

Place of study: in any country or institution according to needs of study.

Open to: medical and other health workers from WHO Member States.

Applications: further information can be obtained from WHO regional office of the region of origin of the candidate: Regional Office for South-East Asia, World Health House, Indraprastha Estate, Mahatma Gandhi Road, New Delhi 110002 (India); Regional Office for the Western Pacific, P.O. Box 2932, Manila 1099 (Philippines).

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World Meteorological Organization (WMO)

41, avenue Giuseppe-Motta
C.P. 2300
1211 Geneva 2, Switzerland

Fax: (41) (22) 734 2326
Web: http://www.wmo.ch
Email: rHassan_m@gateway.WMO.ch

WMO fellowships: approx. 300 are provided every year by WMO under United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), the Trust-Fund Scheme and its own assistance programmes, mainly, the Voluntary Cooperation Programme (VCP).

Subject: general meteorology, applied meteorology, climatology, operational hydrology.

Place of study: in various countries; at WMO Regional Meteorological Training Centres, universities, national meteorological and hydrological services, firms, institutes, etc.

Open to: applicants from developing countries nominated by their governments; qualifications vary according to the individual requirement.

Duration: from 2 weeks to several years (long-term fellowships awarded initially for 12 months with possibility of extensions subject to satisfactory progress).

Value: normally based on UNDP stipend rates or as provided by Member countries for VCP fellowships.

Applications: submitted by Government of candidate's country, through local UNDP office, to the Secretary General, WMO.

Zonta International

557 West Randolph Street
Chicago, IL 60661
USA

Fax: (1) (312) 930 0951
Web: http://www.zonta.org

(a) **Amelia Earhart Fellowship Awards**

(b) **The Zonta International Foundation Jane M. Klausman Women in Business Scholarships**

(c) **The Zonta International Young Women in Public Affairs Awards**

Subjects: (a) graduate study in the aerospace field.

Place of study: (a) in any qualified university in any country.

Open to: (a) women of any nationality with Bachelor's degree or equivalent; candidates must prove acceptance as full-time graduate student in approved institution; (b) women currently enrolled in the second or third year of a business-related undergraduate degree programme; (c) women currently enrolled in a secondary school.

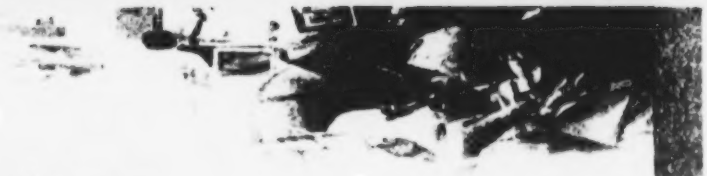
Duration: (a) 1 academic year (renewable).

Value: (a) US$ 6,000, (b) US$4,000, (c) US$ 1,000.

Applications: (a) to the above address; (b) and (c) to the local Zonta club in applicants' home country.

PART THREE

Web Sites



http://www.ausaid.gov.au

Students seeking scholarships for their education in Australia should visit this Web site for information about the country and the various scholarships available.

http://www.edcasworldwide.com

The Web site of the Education Course Advisory Service offers ùquality advice direct from university and college based academic adviserssû in the U.K. For a fee, the service assists students in identifying the courses that respond to their needs giving course information, prospectus, etc.

http://www.edupass.org

A guide to studying in the U.S for international students. eduPASS, which started as the international student section of FinAid, offers free scholarship search through FastWeb, information on visa, traveling to the U.S., American culture, living in the U.S., the cost of education, help in choosing a college or applying to one, and many more.

http://www.fastweb.com

Free Web site for students, parents and educators with free personalized scholarship search. Of all the free online scholarship databases FastWeb is the largest and most frequently updated. Leave your email address with FastWeb and you will be notified when new awards matching your profile are added to the database. Through FastWeb, students can also submit an electronic application to some of the scholarships listed. College search is included.

http://www.finaid.org

An award winning Web site, FinAid offers its services to all users at no charge. Although the site serves mainly American students its International Students section is linked to eduPASS and contains information on financial aid to foreign students and studying in the U.S.

http://www.gradschools.com

Despite the name of the site, this comprehensive online source of graduate school information also offers search for undergraduate institutions. The site has over 50,000 programmes including fellowships and financial aid information.

http://www.idp.edu.au

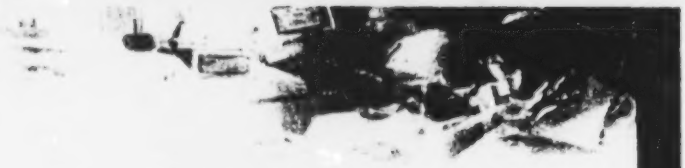
IDP represents over 250 Australian educational institutions. Users can check the page for the addresses of IDP branches in 34 countries including Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Viet Nam. Links to counsellors enable users to send e-mail for more information about studying in Australia.

http://www.IEFA.org

This is an Internet resource for financial aid information for students wishing to study in a foreign country. At this site are listing of grants, scholarships, loan programmes, university, other information relevant to studying abroad and useful links.

http://www.iie.org

Web page of the International Institute of Education providing information for students seeking grants and university advisers looking for resources for their foreign students. The wealth of useful information includes fellowships, sponsored programmes, tactics to increase access to international scholarship programmes, calendar of events as well as links to other Web sites.



IIE Passport at this site is a searchable Web database on 5,000 learning opportunities worldwide listed alphabetically by name or country.

http://www.internationalstudent.com

A site especially for international students maintained by the International Student Information Center, it gives description of the US education system and higher education accreditation. It focuses on studying in the U.S. providing information on American culture, health care, social life, and accommodation. Users will find advice on selecting a school, job search and scholarship search. Those without overseas experience will find this site particularly helpful.

http://www.intstudy.com

Unlike most other Web pages mentioned in this part, this Web site contains information on studying in the U.K, U.S.A. Australia, Canada, New Zealand and other European countries. Users can search for colleges and universities of their choice based on their own criteria. The site also includes information on sources of funding for international students, living, learning, and immigration requirements of the countries concerned.

http://www.isoa.org

The International Student Organization in America (ISO) maintains on their Web site data-bases for the benefit of international students. Information provided includes scholarships and grants, college and research centre, legal advisory service and student exchange programmes.

http://www.istudentnet.com

Much less serious than the internationalstudent.com, this site provides tips on studying, budgeting, social life, and scholarships search.

http://www.japan-society.org

A site on the Japanese Government scholarships for foreign students wishing to study in Japanese universities. Students will find information on types of scholarship, fields of study, qualification of applicants, application and selection procedure and terms of scholarships.

http://www.scholarships.com

This ***largest and fastest free college scholarship search on the Internet*** offers free personalized scholarship search. Since the database on this Web site also caters to American students seeking loans and grants for their tertiary education, foreign students may find a lot of information irrelevant to them.

http://www.studyabroad.com

Online directories of courses ranging from language courses and high school to higher education programmes including summer courses. Users can search by country. Also included is information on discount airfares, international student loan scheme, housing, and health insurance.

http://www.studyincanada.com

A comprehensive Web site on studying in Canada giving relevant facts and figures. A good introduction to the country as well as its education system. Since the site caters not only to students seeking placement in Canada but also to Canadian institutions seeking new students, the site is linked to university home pages.

http://www.studylink.com.au

Linked to IDP Web site, studylink has information on studying in Australia with comprehensive information on more than 12,000 courses offered in over 300 education institutions across the country. The institution search tool brings users to the list of institutions, course list and finally course description. The site is developed by IDP Education Australia (IDP) in association with Learning Information Systems (LIS).

http://www.studyoverseas.com

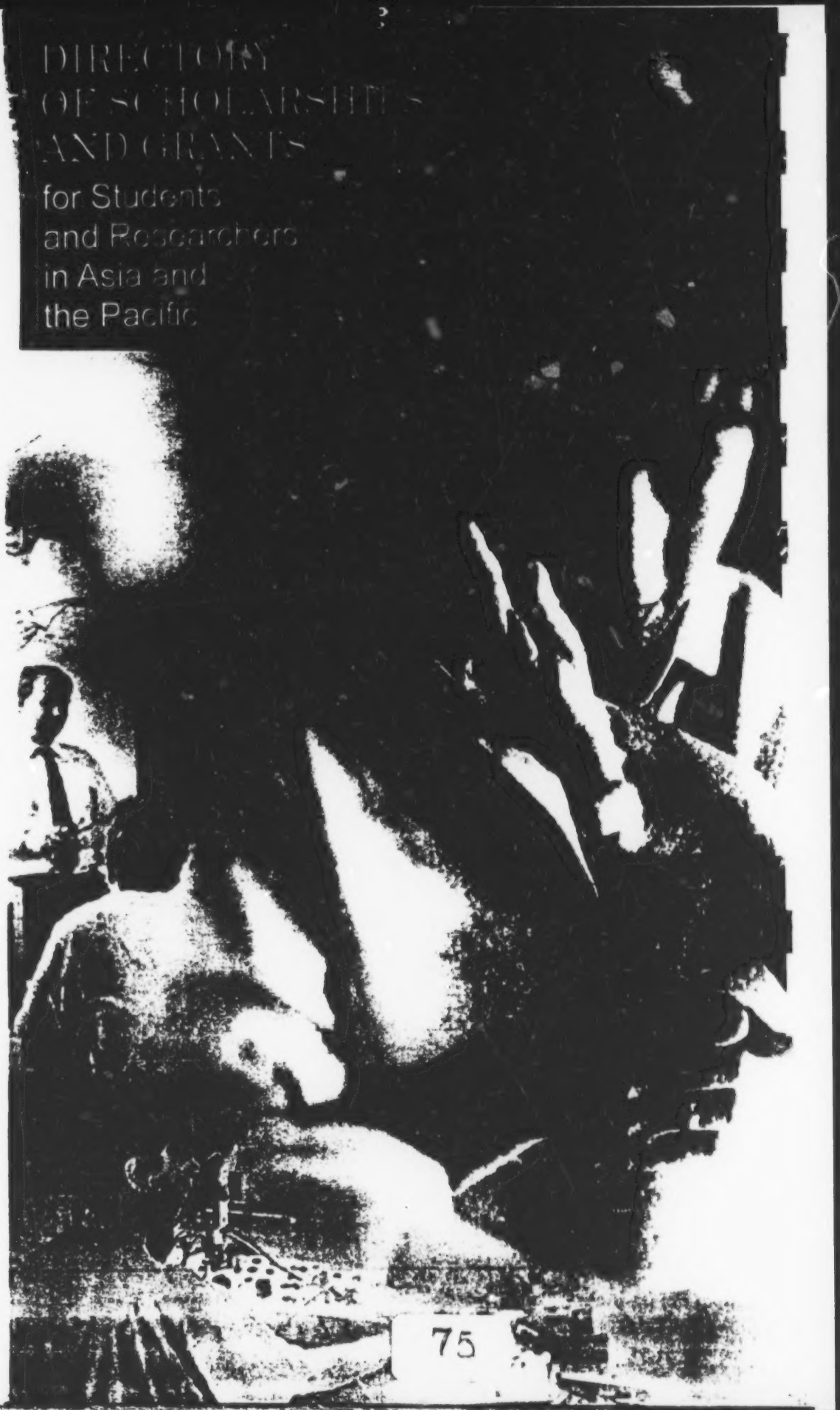
Advice and information available at this site is designed to help students to choose the right course, college and country. Students can search learning opportunities in the USA, UK, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Europe and elsewhere. The site provides brief general information on each country listed. Virtual campus tour under development will enable students to virtually visit campuses of their choice. Free further information service provides students with a fast and effective means of communicating with academic institutions with just one simple form.

http://www.petersons.com

Peterson's has brought its long experience in information and networking services to this Web site making it a very comprehensive education resource. The site caters to students, admission officers and guidance counselors alike. Students can search colleges and universities, graduate programmes, distance learning programmes, summer opportunities, etc. The international student information section advises students on applying to American graduate schools.

DIRECTORY OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

for Students and Researchers in Asia and the Pacific



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